

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT FORM**

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Amendment: addend to correct ~~the~~ to  
"1996" from "1966" in  
Section 1:

**AN ORDINANCE  
BY FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**02-0-0187**

**AN ORDINANCE BY THE FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA ADOPTED UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY OF THE MUNICIPAL HOME RULE ACT OF 1965 (Ga. Laws 1965, P. 298, et. seq.) AS AMENDED TO AMEND PART 1, SUBPART A, ARTICLE VI, CHAPTER 3, SECTION 6-301(b) OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA (Ga. Laws 1966, P 4469, et. seq.) APPROVED APRIL 15, 1996, AS AMENDED, SO AS TO ADD A SECTION 6-301(b)(6), WHICH READS "THE MEMBERS OF THE BUDGET COMMISSION SHALL BE PERSONALLY LIABLE FOR THE OVER-ANTICIPATION OF RECEIPTS".**

**WHEREAS**, the City Charter prior to 1996 contained a provision that budget commission members were personally liable for the over-anticipation of receipts; and

**WHEREAS**, this provision was removed in the 1996 City Charter; and

**WHEREAS**, if at any time during any year, the expenditures exceed the revenues collected and a deficit is created, it is the duty of the Budget Commission before appropriating any other sum for any purpose other than interest and Sinking Fund on the bonded indebtedness, to appropriate a sufficient sum to immediately discharge any deficit which has accrued during the preceding year; and

**WHEREAS**, the Budget Commission has the authority to increase budget revenue anticipations if normal revenues exceed appropriations, or if revenues are increased by law or other extraordinary actions; and

**WHEREAS**, it is appropriate that Budget Commission members be responsible for their actions.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA as follows:**

**SECTION 1:** That Part 1, Subpart A, Article VI, Chapter 3, Section 6-301(b) of the Charter of the City of Atlanta, Georgia approved April 15, 1966, as amended be amended by adding a paragraph (6) which reads "The members of the Budget Commission shall be personally liable for the over-anticipation of receipts".

**SECTION 2:** That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby waived.